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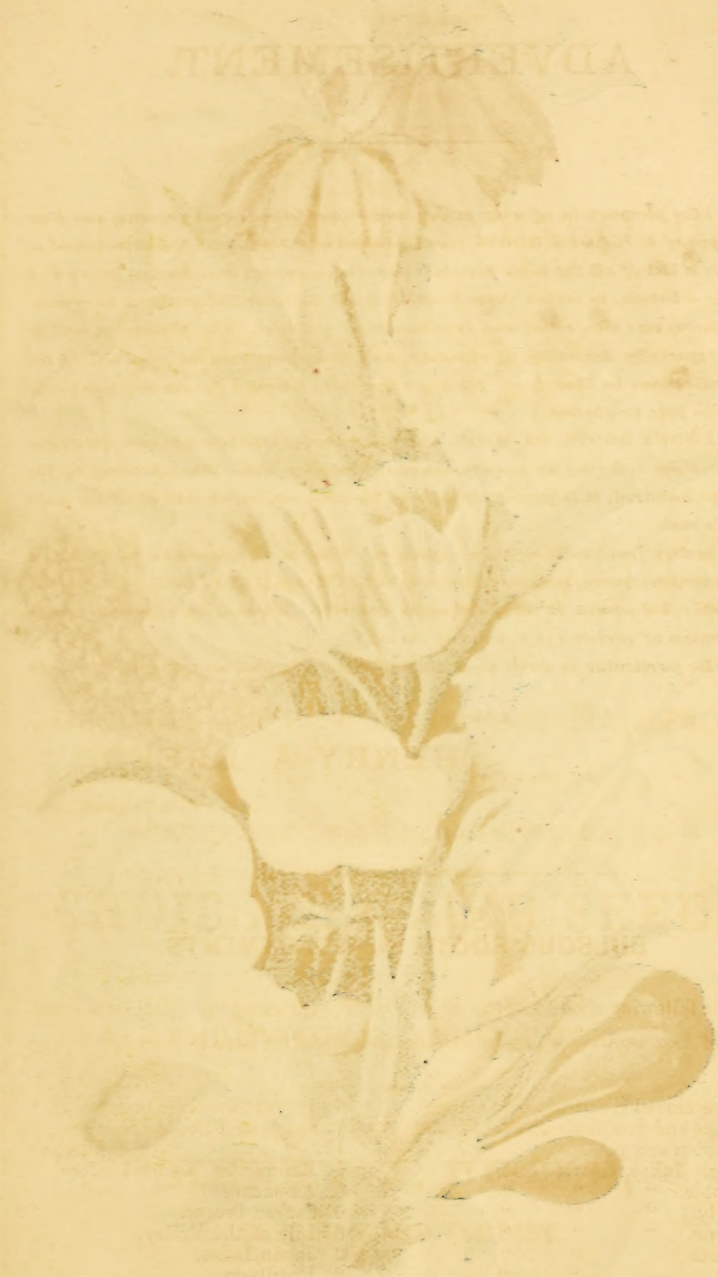

1. Crown Imperials. 2. Polyanthos Narcissus. 3. Japan Lily. 4, 5. Hyacinths. 6. Snowdrop. 7. Crocus. 8. Iris Germanica. 9. Anemone. 10. Tulips.

Bulbous Roots.

THEIR NATURE AND TREATMENT.

BULBS are plants which belong to a particular division of the vegetable kingdom; they are all, with scarcely a single exception, very ornamental, and hence desirable, for the very large size of their flower in proportion to the entire plant, and for the brilliancy of their colors. By far the greater number of bulbs flower in the spring, and produce their flower stems immediately after they begin to grow; and shortly after they have flowered, they cease growing, and remain dormant, and without leaves during the remainder of the year; hence, almost all bulbs require to be planted in the autumn—a fact which most amateurs are apt to overlook, and frequently send their orders out of season. Bulbs require a free, dry and somewhat rich soil, into which the roots may penetrate freely. A bulb is essentially a bud, and contains within itself the germs of the leaves and flowers which are to be produced the following season; thus, in one sense they are of more easy culture than any other class of plants, because the germ being previously formed, and the nourishment being provided in the body of the bulb, it is only necessary to supply heat and moisture to cause them to develop—this is fully exemplified in the *Hyacinth*, *Narcissus*, *Crocus*, early *Tulips*, and some other bulbs, which can be flowered when placed over water, in glasses or in wet moss. The *Hyacinth* is the especial favorite for forcing in glasses, and full directions for their management will be found under the head of Hyacinths.

SOIL—The proper compost for Hyacinths, Tulips, Crown Imperials, Iris, Ranunculus, Anemones, Crocus, and most other bulbs, is the following: one-third sand, one-third well rotted cow manure, and one-third good garden mould.*

The Amaryllis, require a richer loam, and Ixias and Gladiolus a soil rather more sandy than the general average.

TIME OF PLANTING—The preferable season for planting all hardy bulbs, is from October to December; but they can be set out at any later time, as long as the bulbs remain sound.

DEPTH AND DISTANCE—Hyacinth, and Martagon, and other large Lillies, and Pæonias, should be planted at the depth of four inches: Crown Imperials and Polyanthus Narcissus, five inches; Tulips, Double Narcissus, Jonquilles and Colchicums, three inches; Bulbous Iris, Crocus, Arums, small Fritillarias, Gladiolus Byzantium and Snowdrops, two inches; Ranunculus and Anemones, one inch, always measuring from the top of bulb. The rows should be about ten inches apart, and the roots to be placed from four to six inches apart in the rows, according to their size.

TAKING UP AND PRESERVING—Take up Bulbous Roots about a month after the blossom is completely over, in the following manner:—when the plants put on a yellowish decayed appearance, take up the roots, cut off the stem and foliage within an inch of the bulbs, but leave the fibres, etc. attached to them; spread them in an airy room for two or three weeks to dry, after which wrap each root carefully in paper, (as the air is very injurious to bulbs,) or cover them in sand perfectly dry.

Bulbs intended for blooming in pots during the winter season, should be planted during the months of October and November, and be left exposed to the open air (covered with a few inches of tan or soil,) until they begin to freeze, and then be placed in the green-house or a room where fire is usually made. They will need moderate occasional watering until they begin to grow, when they should have an abundance of air in mild weather, and plenty of water from the saucers, whilst in a growing state; and should be exposed as much as possible to the sun, air and light, to prevent the leaves from growing too long, or becoming yellow.

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*For the convenience of purchasers, this compost is kept on hand during the season for planting bulbs.

The Hyacinth.

Among hardy bulbs the Hyacinth stands (deservedly so) foremost on the list, it is not only a general favorite for the garden, but has become exceedingly popular as a winter flower, from the facility with which it may be forced into bloom either in pots, or glasses, filled with water; nothing can be more delightful either for beauty or fragrance, than a stand of these lovely flowers in the parlor or drawing-room, during the winter months.

THE TREATMENT OF HYACINTHS IN POTS.

For the growth of Hyacinths in pots, prepare one-half decomposed friable turfy loam, with the remainder, equal parts of well rotted manure, leaf-mould and river-sand, well incorporated together, and should, when so prepared be used in a tolerably dry state (free from adhesiveness,) so as to admit of a firm pressure without injury. The most favorable season for planting is *September*, and onwards. The size of pots is regulated by the space or convenience for placing them ; when limited, and a rich massive effect is wished for, those of six or eight inches diameter are recommended, in which three or four bulbs may be placed, but where more convenience is had, a succession of single or double bulbs in smaller pots may be admitted—two bulbs in each is very effective, and generally preferred ; the colors of such may be regulated according to taste. In potting, each bulb should remain one-third above the surface of the soil, and the base of each bulb should rest upon a strata of clean river-sand at about three-quarters of an inch lower than the rim of each pot, to admit of a judiciously regulated amount of water during the season of bloom. After potting, place them where intended to remain, upon a dry surface of ashes or sharp gravel, in the rotation of their intended periods of bloom (each later potting plunged beyond the previous ones,) and thus arranged, water the whole well to imbed the bulbs firmly within the soil, allowing them to remain until the bulbs and surfaces are again dry (for one or two days ;) then cover the whole over to the depth of three or four inches with half-dried tan, sawdust, sand or soil, for six or eight weeks, in which position the preparatory root-growth is made, necessary to a vigorous development of their flowerscapes. After the period adverted to, less or more, the first potted bulbs may be taken up, the soil and sediment carefully brushed off, and removed to a gentle hot-bed, or a warm genial greenhouse or room where the bloom will progressively expand, care being taken to screen the leaf-growth made in darkness for a few days, and when an unusually warm spring requires that the covering of tan or soil should be removed from the general stock, the various batches, or pottings may be removed to cool pits or frames, east or north aspect (air being admitted early in fine weather, and closed early,) until required for the forcing house. A short difference of a week or fortnight between the periods of potting will produce a corresponding difference in the periods of bloom.

METHOD OF BLOOMING HYACINTHS IN THE WINTER SEASON, IN GLASSES.

For this purpose Single Hyacinths, and such as are designated earliest among the Double, are to be preferred. Single Hyacinths are generally held in less estimation than Double ones ; their colors, however, are more vivid, and their bells, though smaller, are more numerous ; some of the sorts are exquisitely beautiful ; they are preferable for flowering in winter to most of the Double ones, as they bloom two or three weeks earlier and are very sweet scented.

Hyacinths intended for glasses should be placed in them during October and November, the glasses being previously filled with pure water, so that the bottom of the bulb may just touch the water ; then place them for the first three or four weeks in a dark closet, box or cellar, to promote the shooting of the fibres, which should fill the glasses before exposing them to the sun, after which expose them to the light and sun gradually. If kept too light and warm at first, and before there is sufficient fibre, they will rarely flower well. They will blow without any sun, but the colors of the flowers will be inferior. The water should be changed as it becomes impure ; draw the roots entirely out of the glasses, rinse off the fibres in clean water, and wash the inside of the glass well. Care should be taken that the water does not freeze, as it would not only burst the glass but cause the fibres to decay. Whether the water is hard or soft, is not a matter of much consequence—soft is preferable—but must be perfectly clear, to show the fibres to advantage.

DOUBLE HYACINTHS.

RED AND PINK.

	EACH.
Acteur, dark rose; early	$ 30
Alida Catharina, red; earliest extra sort	30
Aurora, red; early and handsome	50
Bouquet Tendre, crimson; earliest and superior bloomer	30
Bouquet Royal, rose; early superb flowers	35
Cœur Fidele, rose with purple; force slowly	25
Comtesse de la Coste, rose; superior flowers	30
Czar Nicholas, light rose; large flowers	30
General Moore, dark red; fine	50
General Ziethen, dark rose; early	30
Grossfurst, pink; early, large flower	25
L'Honneur d'Amsterdam, pink; large and handsome, force slowly	35
Lord Wellington, rose; largest and finest flowers	60
Lord Castlereagh, pink; early, good flow	$ 25
Maria Louisa, crimson; fine	30
Medea, dark red; a fine late variety	35
Panorama, red; early, very fine	25
Perruque Royale, rose; large bells	35
Princesse Royale, dark red; extra	50
Regina Rubrorum, scarlet; earliest fine flowers	50
Regina Victoria, dark rose; extra fine flowers	40
Rose Mignonne, pink; early bloom	25
Rouge Vermeil, vermillion red; handsome	35
Sir Joseph Paxton, crimson; early, extra variety	75
Wilhelm II., red; early and fine	25

WHITE.

	EACH.
A la Mode, red eye; large flowers	$ 30
Anna Maria, red eye; fine, early	30
Bucentaurus, pure white; early	30
Castor, pure white; extra flowers	75
Duc de Berry, pure white; late	40
Duchesse de Bedford, pure white; late	30
Grand Monarque de France, rose eye; very large, late	40
Jenny Lind, with purple; extra	60
La Tour d'Auvergne, white, with yellow eye; fine large flowers	35
La Virginite, rose eye; early and fine	30
Lord Anson, with rose; very fine	40
Minerva, pure white; fine	35
Miss Kitty, with red; early and handsome flowers	35
Nanette, with yellow; early	$ 25
Non Plus Ultra, white; large bells	30
Passe Virgo, red eye; early, large	25
Pereander, purple eye	25
Penelope, purple eye	25
Prince of Waterloo, pure white; large flowers and very handsome	50
Sphera Mundi, blue eye; late, splendid flowers	35
Sultan Achmet, pure white; large handsome bells, late	30
Triomph Blandine, rose eye; beautiful flowers	35
Virgo, rose eye; early and fine	35
Violet Superbe, purple eye; late	30
Venus, yellow eye; extra, late	50

BLUE AND PORCELAIN.

	EACH.
A la Mode, blue; one of the earliest, and very fine	$ 25
Albion, blue-black; superior and large flowers, very late	60
Blocksberg, light blue; large, fine	35
Bouquet Purple, blue-black; green tips, very fine	25
Couronne des Indes, purple; early and fine	30
Comte de Bentinck, porcelain	40
Comte de St. Priest, porcelain blue, early, splendid flowers	75
Duc de Normandie, dark blue; very early and fine	30
Envoye, light blue; early and fine	30
General Antink, light blue; very fine	25
Globe Terrestre, light blue; early	25
Grand Vedette, light blue; a profusion of bells and fine	30
Graff Floris, light blue; early	$ 25
Kaiser Alexander, dark blue; extra fine variety	60
King Acingarius, porcelain; earliest	30
King of the Netherlands, dark blue; a superior variety, large and numerous bells	25
La Bien Aimee, dark blue	25
La Plus Belle, dark blue; extra	50
Lord Raglan, dark blue; early, superior flowers	75
Lord Wellington, dark blue; early	25
Madame Marmont, porcelain; early and fine	40
Mignon von Drijfhout, dark blue; early	30
Othello, the darkest blue; superior flowers	60
Pourpre Superbe, purple; early and fine	25
Richard Steel, dark blue; early	30

YELLOW.

	EACH.
Belle Soufre, yellow	$ 35
Bouquet d'Orange, orange; superior and early	30
Croesus, orange; ex. large flowers, late	40
Goethe, bright yellow; fine flowers	40
Jaune Napolitaine, orange; late, not suitable for forcing	50
Jaune Supreme, splendid yellow	$ 60
Louis d'Or, bright yellow; early, and fine bells	30
Ophir d'Or, bright yellow; very fine, late, not suitable for forcing	25
Piet Hein, early and fine	25
Van Speijk, light yellow; late	50

SINGLE HYACINTHS.

Single Hyacinths are, by some, held in less estimation than double ones; but, on a closer acquaintance with their fine qualities, they will be found more deserving of cultivation. They are desirable for their early flowering, especially in pots or glasses; their colors are more brilliant, and they excel the Double in their greater profusion of bells and fine odor.

RED AND PINK.

	EACH.
Amy, dark red; superior	$ 30
Anna Paulowna, rose; very fine	30
Appelius, crimson; very fine	30
Baron Rothschild, dark rose; fine	25
Belle Eleonore, dark red; handsome, fine for forcing	25
Cardinal Rouge, rose colored	30
Cassandra, dark rose	25
Charlotte Marianne, crimson; fine	30
Duchesse de Richmond, dark red; superior	40
Emperor Nicolas, crimson; fine	30
Gigantea, light rose; superior	40
Goerres, dark red; very early, fine	25
Homerus, dark rose; early and fine	30
L'Amie du Coeur, crimson; fine	25
L'Honneur de Hillegour, dark red; new and very fine flowers	$ 30
La Baleine, pink; fine large flowers	30
La Belle Quirine, dark red	25
La Tendresse, pink	25
Lord Wellington, deep rose; fine large bells	30
Madame Hodson, crimson; showy	30
Madame de Maintenon, beautiful red; shaded	25
Mars, crimson; superior bloom, late	25
Monsieur Faesch, crimson; splendid flowers	35
Norma, rose; extra early, and superior flowers	35
Sultan's Favorite, pink; very fine	30

WHITE.

	EACH.
Albion, pure white; extra fine	$ 40
Alba Superbissima, superior flowers	40
Blanchard, pure white; early, extra flowers	30
Cleopatra, rosy white; fine flowers, late	35
Comtesse de Teylingen, pure white	25
Grand Blanche Imperiale, rosy white	30
Grand Vainqueur, pure white; ex. fine, great profusion of bells	30
Imperatrice Alba, superior	40
King's Crown, rosy white; early	30
La Candeur, pure white; very fine	30
La Frisure, rosy white; fine bells	25
La Vestale, extra fine, new	40
Madame Ristori, extra handsome flowers	75
Mammouth, rosy white; extra	60
Madame Tailleyrand, pure white; fine large flowers	$ 30
Mrs. Beecher Stowe, white; extra	35
Prince Royal, pure white	25
Queen Victoria, pure white; fine	35
Reine Blanche, pure white	30
Reine de Hollande, pure white; early and fine	35
Semiramis, rosy white; early	30
Staaten General, pure white	35
Triomph Blandina, rosy white; very early and fine	25
Tulia, rosy white; new, superior flowers	30
Voltaire, rosy white; superior	35

BLUE AND PORCELAIN.

	EACH.
Aimable Brunette, blue-black	$ 25
Baron von Thuyll, deep blue; very handsome	25
Belle Africaine, blue-black; very early	30
Bleu Mourante, dark blue; fine	$ 25
Castor, deep blue; very handsome	25
Charles Dickens, dark blue; fine	25
Couronne de Celle, porcelain; extra fine	60

BLUE AND PORCELAIN.—Continued.

	EACH.
Emicus, deep blue with white eye; early and superior	$ 25
General Lauriston, dark blue with white eye	30
Grand Vedette, porcelain; superior	50
Grand Vainqueur, deep blue; superior large flowers	40
Grand Lilas, porcelain; handsome	50
Gumal, blue-black	25
L'Amie du Coeur, dark blue	25
Lord Palmerston, with white eye; new, superior	50
Iris, light porcelain blue; handsome flowers	$ 25
Mimosa, blue-black; very fine	35
Nimrod, deep blue; splendid flowers	30
Orondatus, light blue; fine	30
Prince of Saxe Weimer, dark blue; very superior	25
Porcelain Sceptre, light blue; fine	25
Priestly, light blue; early	30
Susanna Maria, porcelain	25
Thunberg, dark blue; fine, early	25
Vulcain, dark blue; early	30

YELLOW.

	EACH.
Alida Jacoba, pure yellow; fine	$ 30
Alexander, yellow	25
Furst von Dessau, yellow	25
Golden Sceptre, golden	25
Heroine, very handsome; late	30
King of Holland, orange; superior	$ 30
La Pluie d'Or, pure yellow; fine	25
La Richesse, orange; splendid	50
Minerva, fine yellow	25
Rhinoceros, dark yellow; early and fine	25

HYACINTHS IN PACKAGES.

The following are put up in packages of six roots each, with names and colors marked, and are sold at lower prices than the same quality of roots can be when selected from the Catalogue. They are all free blooming, choice varieties. Nos. 1 and 2 are double, 3 and 4 single, 5 half double and half single.

Also, packages of six roots each, with colors marked, but are not named. No. 6, double No. 7, single; No. 8, half double and half single.

No. 1.—$1.25 per package.

CONTAINS:

Grossfurst, pink.
Panorama, red.
King of the Netherlands, dark blue.
General Antink, light blue.
La Virginite, white, with rosy eye.
Pereander, white, with purple eye.

No. 2.—$1.50 per package.

CONTAINS:

Bouquet Tendre, crimson.
Czar Nicholas, light rose.
Mignon von Drijfhout, dark blue.
Grand Vedette, light blue.
Anna Maria, white, with red eye.
Duchesse de Bedford, pure white.

No. 3.—$1.25 per package.

CONTAINS:

La Tendresse, pink.
L'Amie du Coeur, crimson.
Emicus, deep blue, with white eye.
Prince of Saxe Weimer, dark blue.
Comtesse de Teylingen, white.
Prince Royal, pure white.

No. 4.—$1.50 per package.

CONTAINS:

Monsieur Faesch, crimson.
Norma, rose.
Charles Dickens, dark blue.
Iris, porcelain blue.
Madame de Tailleyrand, pure white.
Voltaire, rosy white.

No. 5.—$1.25 per package.

CONTAINS 3 DOUBLE AND 3 SINGLE:

Rose Mignonne, pink.
Lord Wellington, dark blue.
Bouquet d'Orange, orange.
L'Amie du Coeur, dark blue.
Grand Vainqueur, pure white.
Golden Sceptre, golden yellow.

No. 6.—$1 per package.

CONTAINS (DOUBLE:)

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

No. 7.—$1 per package.

CONTAINS (SINGLE:)

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

No. 8.—$1 per package.

CONTAINS 3 DOUBLE AND 3 SINGLE:

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

MUSK AND FEATHERED HYACINTHS.

This class are only for garden culture.

	EACH.
Belgicus, rosea; rose colored	$ 10
Muscari, very sweet scented	25
Monstrosus, blue	10
Plumosus, feathered; splendid for bouquets	$ 5

HYACINTHS.

By the dozen or hundred—SINGLE OR DOUBLE, WITHOUT NAMES.

	PER DOZ.	PER 100
Pink and red	$1.75	$12.00
Blue and porcelain	1.75	12.00
White and rosy white	1.75	$12.00

FINE DOUBLE AND SINGLE, WITH NAMES.

12 new choice varieties, with names and colors	$6.00
12 very choice varieties, with names and colors	5.00
12 good varieties, with names and colors.	4.00
100 very choice varieties, with names and colors	$30.00
100 good varieties, with names and colors	25.00
100 good choice varieties, with names and colors	20.00

PARROT TULIP.

DOUBLE TULIP, DUC VAN THOL.

The Tulip.

Nothing can exceed in brilliancy of colors, a bed of Tulips. Any good garden soil will answer; but a soil as already recommended for Hyacinths, will also bloom the Tulip finely. Plant in October or November.

PARROT TULIPS.

With fringed edges, most brilliant crimson and yellow, with shades of bright green. Unique.

	EACH.	DOZ.
Constantinople, large red	10	$1.00
Gloriosa, red and yellow	10	1.00
Perfecta, yellow	10	$1.00
Mixed	10	1.00

EARLY SINGLE TULIPS.

These are well known ornaments of the garden as well as the Green-house. Forced in pots, they are very gay and fine; and for bedding in mixtures, or in separate colors and sorts, no Spring flower is equal to them in brilliancy.

	EACH.	DOZ.
Admiration, dark brown	10	$1.00
Alida Maria, white, with rose stripes	40	
Belle Alliance, scarlet	15	1.50
Canary Bird, yellow	15	1.50
Clairmont, silver striped	25	2.50
Clairmont, gold striped	40	
Couleur Ponceau, crimson, light shades	10	1.00
Couronne Rouge, dark red	10	1.00
Duc de Haarlem, red and yellow	10	1.00
Duc d'Orange, yellow and orange	10	1.00
Duchess d'Parma, brown and yellow	10	1.00
Duc Van Thol, red, yellow bordered	5	50
" " gold striped	25	2.50
" " rose	10	1.00
" " scarlet	15	1.50
" " white	25	2.50
" " yellow	10	1.00
Ferdinand Bol, violet	10	1.00
Gloriosa, brown	10	1.00
La Parfaite, white and orange	15	$1.50
Miltiades, white and rose	10	1.00
Paragon Guldebloem, white with rose	15	1.50
Phoenix, dark red	10	1.00
Pottebaker, white, largest	15	1.50
Rosa Mundi, rose	10	1.00
Red and white bordered	10	1.00
Standaart, silver striped	10	1.00
Thomas Moore, orange	10	1.00
Triomphe des Blanches, white	10	1.00
Wapen Von Leyden, white rose bordered	10	1.00
Early Single Tulips, mixed, without names, $5 per 100.		75

Late single Tulips, mixed, white grounds, without names, $5 per 100; 75 cents per dozen.

Yellow grounds, without names, $5 per 100; 75 cents per dozen.

EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS.

This class of Double Tulips can be forced in pots; besides, they are a real ornament for the garden, as their large, early, fine colored flowers and dwarf habit make them very useful for bedding.

	EACH.	DOZ.
Blanc Borde Rouge, red, white bordered	10	$1.00
Blanc Borde Poupre, purple, white bordered	10	1.00
Couronne des Roses, rose; extra	40	
Duke of York, violet, with white	10	1.00
Duc Van Thol, red, yel. bord	5	50
Empereur de Russie	15	1.50
Gloria Solis, red, with yellow	8	75
Gloriose Superbe	10	1.00
Imperator Rubrorum, red	25	2.50
La Candeur, pure white; extra	15	$1.50
Pæonia Gold, gold striped	15	1.50
Purple Crown, purple	10	1.00
Regina Rubrorum, dark red, with yellow	25	2.50
Rex Rubrorum, scarlet	10	1.00
Rosine, rose	15	1.50
Tournesol, yellow and red	10	1.00
Yellow Rose, fine yellow	8	75
Double Tulips, mixed var	8	75

LATE DOUBLE TULIPS.

These are best adapted for planting out in the garden, and will not bear forcing as well as those marked "early."

	EACH.	DOZ.
Adelmonde, purple	8	$ 75
Apollo, crimson	8	75
Belle Alliance, light blue, with white	20	2.00
Buonaparte, purple striped	10	1.00
Couronne Imperiale, red; extra	15	1.50
Constantinia, gold striped	10	1.00
Grand Alexander, red striped	10	1.00
Madame Royal, red, with white stripes	10	$1.00
Marriage de ma Fille, extra fine, white and red striped	15	1.50
Milton, light blue	10	1.00
Overwinnar, lilac, with white stripes	20	2.00
Salamander, yellow, with red spots	8	75

The Crocus,

As one of the earliest ornaments of the flower garden, is a universal favorite, being neat, dwarf, and compact in growth, and varied in all the essential shades of color for producing harmony of effect, either separately or blended together. The principal adaption of this bulb consists in its suitability for planting sufficiently near to the margin or edge of flower-borders, beds, &c., as not to require removal, or in forming lines or edges entirely of such, in their relative colors, which, after blooming, may be removed as the leaves show maturity of growth by fading in color (the bulbs being stored away dry and cool until the following autumn,) and the same spaces being again occupied by summer flowering plants.

The principal months for planting are October, November, and December, in ordinary rich garden soil, placing the bulbs about two inches deep, and four to six inches from the margin or edge, each group of six to eight or more bulbs being planted in its own relative color, or otherwise in blended varieties, as taste may prefer. These all improve in beauty for some years if not disturbed.

To secure a succession of blooms in pots, commence early in the first named month with six or eight bulbs in each well-drained pot, using the same rich soil about an inch deep, and, thus planted, place the pots upon a surface of ashes, covering them over one inch deep with soil, tan, dry leaf-mould, or sand, until the leaves appear through the soil, when they may be removed to the house.

	PER DOZ.	PER 100
Albion, violet striped; extra	30	$2.00
Blanche Fleur, pure white	30	2.00
Caroline Chisholm, white; splendid	35	2.50
Cloth of Gold, golden yellow	20	1.50
Comtesse de Morny, pure white	30	2.00
David Rizzio, purple, one of the best	40	3.00
Grand Vedette, fine blue	30	2.00
Grossfurst, white	35	2.50
Miss Nightingale, white	40	3.00
Ne Plus Ultra, blue, white bordered	20	1.50
Orestes, blue	20	1.50
Prince Albert, purple, extra	30	2.00
Queen Victoria, pure white	35	2.50
Saffron (blooms in October), yellow	30	2.00
Sir John Franklin, purple, very large	40	$3.00
Sir Robert Peel, striped, splendid	40	3.00
Van Speyk, violet, striped	35	2.50
Vesicolor Albertine, white, striped	20	1.50
Vesicolor Lorette, violet, striped	20	1.50
Walter Scott, extra, white and blue, striped	30	2.00
Large Blue	20	1.50
" Purple		
" Striped		
" White		
" Yellow		
All colors mixed		

IRIS.—FLEUR-DE-LUCE.

The Iris is a very extensive and beautiful family—all the varieties here mentioned are hardy, except the *Persian*, which is rather tender, and better adapted to pot culture.

	EACH.	DOZ.
English Bulbous, assorted	8	$ 75
Spanish " "	5	50
Pavonia Bulbous, assorted	10	$1.00
Persian " "	10	1.00

IRIS GERMANICA.

These are neat, robust, hardy evergreen, with large ornamental flowers of rich and elegantly blended colors, exquisitely striped with dark violet, purple, or bronze lines, upon a lighter ground. Not rising more than two to three feet in height, they are admirably adapted for gardens.

25 cents each. $2.50 per dozen.

Cherau, buff, lower petals dark blue and purple.
Honorabilis, dwarf, orange, lower petals brown.
Incomparable, dwarf, white, lower petals purple shade.
Juliette, white, shaded with blue.
Hericartiana, pale blue, lower petals dark blue and purple.
Madame Cherau, white, edged blue.
Multicolor, orange, lower petals dark brown, dwarf.
Pajol, purplish lilac, lower petals dark.
Raphael, tall, delicate blue.
Sultana, yellow, lower petals shaded slightly with lilac.
Virginal, dwarf, white, lower petals veined with purple.
Walnerii, lilac, lower petals dark blue.

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

These are of a rich jasmine perfume, and are readily forced in pots, coming in bloom about the same time as the Hyacinth.

Assorted, $1.50 to $2.00 per dozen.

	EACH.		EACH.
Baselmann Major, white, orange cup	$ 25	Grossfurst, white, large citron cup	$ 20
Favorite, yellow	15	Mossard Orientalis, white, orange cup	15
Gloriosa, sulphur yellow	20	Prince of Oranien, yellow	15
Grand Monarque, white, large	20	Staaten General, white, orange cup	15
" Primo, white, citron cup	20	Mixed colors	15
" Soliel d'Or, yellow, orange cup	15		

DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

Per dozen, $1.00.

	EACH.		EACH.
Alba Plena Odorata, double white, fragrant	$ 10	Orange Phœnix, white, with orange	$ 10
Incomparable, yellowish white	10	Von Sion, yellow	10

SINGLE NARCISSUS.

Per dozen, 75 cents.

	EACH.		EACH.
Campernelle, yellow	$ 8	Trumpet Major, yellow	$ 8
Poeticus, true Poet's Narcissus, white, orange bordered	8	Trumpet Minor	8

JONQUILS.

Very fragrant and fine for forcing.

	EACH.	DOZ.		EACH.	DOZ.
Double, extra size bulbs	15	$1.50	Single	10	$1.00

GALANTHUS NIVALIS, OR SNOWDROP.

	EACH.	DOZ.		EACH.	DOZ.
Large, double	6	$ 60	Single	3	$ 30

CROWN IMPERIAL.

A very showy plant; is quite hardy, and when the bulb is once planted in any common garden soil, it needs no other culture. Autumn is the proper season for planting, as the bulbs will not keep long out of the ground.

	EACH.		EACH.
Double Red	$1.25	Single Variegated foliage, red	$ 75
" Yellow	1.50	" Yellow	1.25
Single Orange	50	" Mixed	25
" Red	30		

RANUNCULUS.

For symmetry of form and brilliancy of color, in almost all the varieties and hues which are recognized amongst flowers, the Ranunculus is probably unequaled by any other; for its culture it requires a good depth of rich garden soil. The bulbs are rather tender, and when planted out of doors, the beds must be covered with a heavy layer of tan or leaves, as a protection from frost; they can be grown in pots, and forced into early bloom in the green-house.

Turkish, $1.00 per dozen.

	EACH.		EACH.
Black Turban, brown	$ 10	Romano, red	$ 10
Marvelleuse, orange yellow	10	Seraphique d'Algier, lemon	10
Prince de Galitzin, yellow and brown	10		

PERSIAN RANUNCULUS.

$1.25 per dozen.

	EACH.
Belle Donna, rose-black; bordered	$ 15
Commodore Napier, yellow-black	15
Feuersaule, red and yellow	15
Reine Vasthy, white and rose	$ 15
Rose des Dames, rose	15

DOUBLE ANEMONES.

Very showy; they require a similar treatment to the Ranunculus. $1.25 per dozen.

	EACH.
Admiral Zoutman	$ 15
Couleur de Sang	15
Feu Superbe	15
Reine des Pays-bas	$ 15
Hortensis	15
Mixed	15

SINGLE ANEMONES.

$1.00 per dozen.

	EACH.
Scarlet	$ 10
Hortensis, red	10
Hortensis, violet	$ 10
Mixed	10

LILIUM.

The Lily has always been a favorite flower. Some of the varieties are truly magnificent. The *Japan Lilies*, *Lilium lancifolium*, are among the most beautiful, and are suited for either pot culture or the garden; their period of blooming is during the months of July and August.

	EACH.
Bulbiferum, orange, red, cup-shaped blossoms	$ 75
Candidum, double white	40
" single "	25
" flore alba speciosum, white; crimson spotted	30
" flore alba striatum, white; purple spotted	40
Lancifolium Album, splendid white Japan	75
Lancifolium Roseum, white; spotted with rose	50
Lancifolium Rubrum, white, spotted with crimson, superb	$ 50
Lancifolium Monstrosum, rubrum, new	1.50
Lancifolium Monstrosum, album	1.50
" " roseum	1.50
" Melpomene, crimson with dark spots, the best for depth of color	2.00
Longiflora Japonica, large and beautiful, snow-white, trumpet-shaped blossoms	25
Tigridum, orange salmon, Tiger-lily	25
Umbellatum	30

LILIUM AURATUM, OR GOLDEN JAPAN LILY.

The most magnificent of Lilies; the flower measures ten inches in diameter; color, white ground, with purple spots, flaked and striped with gold; flowers of exquisite perfume. Price, each $4.00.

HERBACEOUS PÆONIAS.

This interesting genus contains many magnificent flowering plants. They are tuberous-rooted, and quite hardy. To insure a bloom the first season, it is necessary to plant in the autumn. The following are among the most desirable, embracing all shades of color, from a pure white to a deep crimson.

	EACH.
Anemone flora, flavescens, white, yellow centre	$ 30
Alba plena, double white	30
Baron James d'Rothschild, large pale rose	50
Duchess d'Orleans, dark rose, tinged with buff	50
Duchess d'Nemours, rosy lilac	50
Edulis Superba, dark rose, fine	30
Elegans, pale blush, lilac shade	30
Fragrans, dark rose, fragrant	25
Humeii, large pink	25
Hericartiana, dark rose; buff centre	$ 75
Lingulata, pure white	50
Maiden Blush, pink, fine and large	50
Officinalis rubra, dark crimson	30
Odorata, white, yellow centre	50
Pottsii, very large, blush	50
Queen Victoria, rose	50
Revesii, crimson purple	50
Tenuifolia, dark crimson	50
Virginalis, pure white	50
12 new French varieties, per doz. $5.00	

DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS.

A hardy tuberous-rooted plant, with bright rose-pink flowers. A great acquisition. Blooms in the Spring.

Price, per root, 25 cents; per doz., $2.

AMARYLLIS.

Splendid flowering bulbs, suitable for the greenhouse or room culture. The following are strong seedling bulbs, some of which have already flowered. They should be grown in pots, well drained, in a soil of peat, leaf-mould, and loam, equal parts.

	EACH.		EACH.
Aulica, dark red	$1.00	Longiflora Alba, white	$ 50
Belladonna Major, rich rose	1.50	" Rosea, rose	50
" Minor " "	75	Lutea, yellow	25
Crispa	30	Johnsonii, scarlet and white	1.00
Formossismum Jacobœa Lily, intense crimson	25	Prince of Orange, orange red, large	1.50
		Vittata, scarlet, striped with pure white	1.50

IXIA.

The best season for planting these beautiful flower-bulbs is during the autumn months; being small, they are most effective when planted in stores of three, four, or six, in each pot, of four or six inches in diameter.

	PER DOZ.		PER DOZ.
12 Named Varieties	$2.00	Mixed	$1.50

SPARAXIS.

Their treatment is similar to the Ixia.

	PER DOZ.		PER DOZ.
25 Named Varieties	$2.00	Mixed	$1.50

OXALIS.

Winter Flowering Varieties. These are profuse bloomers, and very attractive in the greenhouse during the winter; plant three or four bulbs in a pot; the pots should be kept near the glass to prevent the foliage from growing long.

Price, $2.00 per dozen.—Mixed, $1.50.

Bowii		Deppei	Venusta,
	Luteo,	Incarnata	Versicolor,
Cepunctata	Pentaphyllum,	Grandiflora Rosea	Violacea.

MISCELLANEOUS VARIETIES.

	EACH.		EACH.
Anomatheca Cruenta	$ 10	Geranium tuberosum, rosy lilac flowers, and handsome pinnated foliage	$ 20
Apios tuberosa, (Glycine Apios) a hardy climber with fragrant flowers	25	Lucojum Æstivum	20
Babiana—10 Named Varieties	20	Ornithogalum, Umbellatum	10
Colchicum Autumnalis	40	Ornithogalum, Pyramidale	15
Crocus Saffron, autumn flow'ring	5	Pæonia Arborea	1.50
Cyclamen, Persian	60	Scilla Siberica, light blue	10
" Coum	60	Tritonia Mixed	10
" Hederaefolium Rubrum	1.25	" 10 Named Varieties	20
Corydalis Bulbosum, red, dwarf	10	Tritoma Uvaria	50
Funkia Japonica	50	" Roperii (new)	75
Fritillaria Mixed	10		

PLANTS FOR WINTER BLOOMING.

Suitable for the green-house, conservatory, or window-garden.

Prices of well-established blooming plants 35 to 50 cents each, unless noted.
Azaleas, 25 choice varieties, 50 cents to $1.00 each.
Abutillon Striatum.
" Venosun.
" Niveum, white, 50.
Acacia, several varieties, 50 cents to $1.00 each.
Bouvardias, are all beautiful winter blooming plants, suitable for bouquets. The varieties are Hogarth, Liantha, Rosalind, Oriana.
Carnations, monthly or tree.
Cestrum Aurantiacum, orange.
" Parqui, night blooming.
Cuphea Platycentra.
Chorozema Varium, orange and red.
Daphne Indica Alba, fragrant, $1.00.
" Rubra, fragrant, $1.00.
Euphorbia Jacquiniflora.
" Splendens.
" Poinsettia.
Epiphyllum (Cactus) Truncatum, crimson.
" Spectabile, white, edged with rosy crimson, 50 cents.
Epiphyllum Violaceum, violet, white.
Fuchsia, a choice collection.
Geranium, sweet-scented and flowering varieties.
Habrathamnus Elegans.
Heliotrope, 6 varieties.
Heterocentrum Roseum.
" Mexicanum Album.
Justicia, Carnea, Magnifica, Coccinnea.
Kennedya Rubicunda and Ovata, 50 cts.
Linum Trigynum.
Jasminum Grandiflorum, Catalonian Jasmine, 50 cents each.
Jasminum Revolutum, large yellow.
" Hirsutum.
Lobelia Erinus Speciosa, beautiful blue, 20 cents.
Mahernia Odorata, honey bells.
Primula Sinensis, Chinese Primrose, white, pink, crimson, fringed edges.
Salvia Leucantha, violet and white.
" Tricolor.
" Gesneriflora.
Stevia Odorata.
Strelitzia Reginæ, $2.50.
Tropœolium Lobbianum, scarlet.
" Geant des Battailes, crimson.
" double, orange.
Veronica Andersonia.
" Variegata.
Viburnum Tinus, Lauerstinus.
" Glauca.

CAMELIA JAPONICA.

The following list comprises the most popular varieties of this favorite winter-blooming plant. The price varies, according to size and number of flower buds, from $1.00 to $10.00 each.

Alba Pleno, double white.
" Fimbriata, fringed edges.
" Imbricata, fine white.
Candidissima, creamy white.
Chalmeri Perfecta, clear rose.
Duchess d'Orleans, white, striped with crimson.
Feastii, delicate salmon and rose.
Gilesii, red and white, fine.
Henri Favre, salmon rose.
Imbricata, crimson, spotted white.
Jeffersonii, deep crimson,
Jenny Lind, white with occasional flakes of rose.
Lady Hume's Blush, peach color.
Landrethii, beautiful pink.
Loweii, dark rose.
Magdalena Leshii, crimson spotted with white.
Mrs. Cope, white, pink stripe.
Sarah Frost, rosy crimson.
Sacco Magnifica, pale rose.
Sherwoodii, light crimson.
Tricolor, blush, crimson and rose.
Wilderii, clear rose, fine.
William Penn, dark red.
William IV., fine rose.

PLANTS FOR HANGING BASKETS, VASES, &c.

	EACH.
Acorus, gramineœus variegatus	$ 25
Begonias of sorts from	30 to 50
Ferns of sorts from	30 to 50
Ficus repens	20
Isolepsis Junciodes, ornamental grass	15
Ivy, large-leaved, variegated	30
" small-leaved, "	30
" " cut-leaved	30
Linaria Cymballaria, or Kenilworth Ivy	15

	EACH.
Lycopodium Denticulatum	10a25
" Cæsium	25
" Schotti	25
" Wildenowii	25
Lysimmachia Numularia	15
Saxifraga Sarmentosa	15
Senecio (Micania) Scandens, or Parlor Ivy	15
Vinca Elegantissima Variegata	20

ROSES.

The following choice varieties are offered this autumn all on their own roots.

Hybrid Perpetual.

Price, 50 cents each. $5 per dozen, except when noted.

Alphonse Damazin, brilliant crimson.
Anna de Diesbach, pure rose.
Auguste Mie, rose, fine form.
Beauty of Waltham, rosy crimson.
Cardinal Patrizzi, dark crimson.
Deul de Prince Albert, dark crimson.
Dr. Arnal, bright red.
Eugene Appert, brilliant crimson.
Emperor Napoleon III., velvet scarlet..... 75
General Washington, brilliant red..... 75
Geant des Batailles, scarlet.
General Jacquiminot, brilliant red.
Jules Margottin, carmine, shaded purple.
L'Enfant du Mt. Carmel, dark purple.
La Reine, large rose.
Laurent Descourt, purple, reverse of petals rose.
Madame Victor Verdier, beautiful rose.... 75
Madame Chas. Carpelet, beautiful cherry.
Marshal Valliant, bright purple..... 75
President Lincoln, deep scarlet..... 75
Pauline Lansezeur, carmine.
Triomphe d'Angiers, deep purple, fine..... 75
Triomphe de L'Exposition, large red crimson.
Vainqueur de Goliath, rosy scarlet..... 75
Victor Verdier, carmine.

WHITE HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—on their own roots, $1.00.

Dr. Henon..
Lady Emilie Peel..... 75
Louisa Darzens..... 75
Madam'lle Bonnaire.
Madam Freesman.
Madam Alfred de Rougemont.—In clusters, slightly tinged with rose.
Soeur des Anges.—very large, slight rose tinge.
Virginal.

BOURBON ROSES.

Price, 40 to 50 cents each. $5.00 per dozen.

Dupetit Thuars, crimson.
Hermosa, pink.
Joseph Gourdon, incarnate.
Louise Odier, large rose.
Louise Margottin, new pink..... 75
Mrs. Bosanquet, blush.
Mons. de Liniers, new, brilliant violet crimson..... 75
Octavie Fontaine, white and rose.
Omar Pasha, deep carmine.
Souvenier de Malmaison, blush.

BENGAL OR DAILY ROSES.

The following are the most desirable. 30 cents each.

Agrippina, rich crimson.
Abbe Moiland, reddish purple.
Archduke Charles, changeable.
Cels, blush.
Pink Daily.
Indica Alba, (white daily.)
Louis Phillippe, crimson.
Lawrencea, miniature rose.

TEA ROSES.—Price, 40 to 50 cents each.

Adam, fine pink.
America, creamy yellow.
Amabilis, rose.
Canary, yellow.
Devoniensis, creamy white.
Glorie de Bordeaux, white.
Homere, rose, salmon centre.
Mad. Bravay, pure white.
Mad. Falcot, Saffron.
Madam d'Vatry, deep rose.
Olympic Facinay, white and yellow.
Souvenir d'un Amie, large rose, very fragrant.
Triumph d'Luxemburg, rose.

NOISETTE ROSES.—Price, 40 to 50 cents each

Augusta, pale yellow.
Celine Forestier, yellow..... 75
Chromatella, or cloth of gold.
Jacques Amyott, dark rose.
Jaune Desprez, rosy buff.
La Pactole, pale yellow.
Lamarque, creamy white.
Mlle. Aristide, buff.
Ophire, buff.
Sir Walter Scott, deep rose.
Solfatere, pale yellow.
Washington, white.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES.—Price, 40 to 50 cents each.

Baltimore Belle.
Greville.
Laura Duvoust, blush.
Prairie Queen,
Tricolor.
White Musk Cluster.
White Microphylla.

MOSS ROSES.—Price 50 cents each.

Arthur Young, dark purple.
Blane White, Princess Adelaide, pink.
Henry Martin, carmine.
William Lobb, purplish violet.

DREER'S PREMIUM PANSY SEED.

(Viola Tricolor Maxima.)

To insure fine large blooms it is necessary to sow in the autumn; full directions will accompany each paper of seed. Price 50 cents per packet.

Pansy, choice Imported	$ 25	Pansy, Roi des Noirs	$ 25
" light blue	25	" purple, white edged	25

CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS.

For sowing in the Autumn for Winter and Spring flowering.

	PER PACKET.
Acroclinum roseum and album	$ 10
Antirrhinum, choice varieties	10
Auricula, fine English varieties	25
Browallia elata, Winter-blooming	10
" Alba	10
Alyssum, Sweet	10
Calceolaria, new hybrid, spotted	50
" dwarf " "	50
" rugosa, or shrubby	25
Cineraria, finest dwarf hybrid	50
" fine mixed	25
Clianthus Damperä	50
Cyclamen persicum	25
Candytuft, white rocket	10
Delphinium formosum, fine blue	10
" Mons. Meuner, blue	25
" Chinesis pumilum	25
" " cœruleum	20
Geranium, Scarlet varieties	25
" Pelargonium varieties	25
Erythrina Crista-galli	25
Gloxinia, finest drooping and erect varieties	50
Heliotropium Peruvianum	25
" Voltairianum	25
" Triumph d'Liege	25
Hollyhock, finest English varieties	10
Lantana, choice varieties	25
Lobelia Erinus speciosa	10
" compacta alba	10
" trigonicaulis	10
" Paxtonia	10
Mignonette, sweet-scented and large-flowering, each	10

	PER PACKET.
Mimulus hybridus tigrinus, superb spotted Monkey flower	25
Mimulus quinquevulnerus maximus, superb large Monkey flower	20
Mimulus Moschatus, musk plant	10
Polyanthus, choice mixed, English	25
Primula sinensis fimbriata alba	25
" " " rosea	25
" " " alba rubra striata	25
" " " Cermesina splendens	50
" " " erecta superba	50
Salvia splendens	25
" patens, blue	25
Stocks, Autumnal	10
" Perpetual Emperor	10
" Large-flowering Ten Week	10
" Bouquet, Dwarf, crimson, and rose.	20
" Victoria, Scarlet	20
" Brompton or Winter	10
Sweet William, new, dark, and Auricula flowered, each	10
Sweet William, double	20
Tropæolum Lobbianum, fine for Winter blooming	25
Tropæolum Giant de Battaile	25
" tricolor grandiflora	25
" King of the Tom Thumbs, the best dwarf scarlet	50
Vinca rosea and alba, each	10
" nova spec, pure white	10
Verbena, choice mixed	25
Wallflower, fine German	10
" tall brown rocket	10
" dwarf, double	20

Any or all of the above will be promptly mailed upon the receipt of a remittance.

GLADIOLUS SEED.

This suberb class of plants can be readily grown from seed, and I have now (September,) some seedlings in bloom, (the seed of which was not sown before the 1st of October last,) which surpass many of the old favorite varieties. Full directions how to propagate from seed, will accompany each packet: this seed is saved from the choicest named varieties. Price 25 cents per packet.

Strawberry Plants.

THE PHILADELPHIA STRAWBERRY

Originated near Philadelphia, and is now for the first time, after several years' trial, offered to the public, as the *earliest* among the early varieties, and possesses in addition the following good qualities, viz: vigorous growth; large and firm fruit of a rich dark scarlet color; yield abundant, not excelled by any other variety; *flavor unsurpassed*, having the true Strawberry flavor. Having named and introduced the Raspberry now so well known among fruit growers as the Philadelphia, we flatter ourselves that this Strawberry may prove equally as popular and worthy of the name.

Price of Plants for Fall of 1866 and Spring of 1867.

12 Plants	$3.00	100 Plants	$15.00
25 "	5.00	1000 "	100.00

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

We also offer the following popular varieties.

	PER DOZ.	PER 100.	PER 1000
Metcalf's Early	$1.00	$6.00	$50.00
Agriculturist	75	3.00	15.00
New Jersey Scarlet	75	3.00	20.00
Jucunda	1.50	10.00	
Brooklyn Scarlet	50	1.50	10.00
Wilson's Albany	$ 50	$1.50	$8.00
French's Seedling	50	1.50	8.00
Russel's Prolific	50	1.50	10.00
Triomphe d'Gand	50	1.50	10.00

THE DUHRING RASPBERRY.

Originated on the grounds of Henry Duhring, Esq., Belmont near Philadelphia, is a seedling of the Hornet, the fruit is quite as large as that famous variety, *well known as the largest of all raspberries*, but somewhat rounder, of a dark red color, and firm, flavor unsurpassed; unlike its parent, the plant propagates freely, and throws up an abundance of strong canes, and is altogether more robust and hardy. The yield of fruit is abundant, excelling all other large varieties, and fully equal to the Philadelphia now so highly prized among fruit-growers.

Price of plants, $1 each; $9 per doz.

THE PHILADELPHIA RASPBERRY.

We are now fully satisfied that this is the most profitable variety that can be grown. Notwithstanding all the influences that have been brought to bear against it by interested parties, it has steadily advanced in favor among fruit-growers, and the demand has so much increased among this class for planting it out extensively, that the price of plants in some localities has more than doubled. For hardiness and productiveness it is unequaled, bearing the extreme cold of Minnesota without injury, and yielding in that latitude a splendid crop of fruit. The fruit is of good size, of a purplish-red color, rich and juicy, and bears carriage to market well. But a limited quantity of plants are for sale. Price $3.00 per dozen; $20 per hundred.

We also offer as desirable among Raspberries, **Catawissa,** fall bearing, hardy and productive, per dozen, $2.00. **Improved Black Cap,** very productive, per dozen, $1.00.

BLACKBERRIES.

Wilson's Early, very early and productive, 1.50 each, $15 per dozen.
Kittatinny, early and continues long in bearing, $1.00 each, $9 per dozen.
Dorchester, sweet and early, $1 per dozen.
New Rochelle, or Lawton, large and productive, $1 per dozen.

GRAPE VINES.

The following are offered as the most hardy and reliable:

Catawba, red.	Concord, black.	Delaware, red.
Creveling, purple.	Hardford, prolific, black.	Maxatawney, amber.

A large stock of **Currant and Gooseberry** plants, of the best varieties.

Lesher's Mammoth Asparagus Roots, one year old, 75 cents per 100.

RHUBARB ROOTS.

25 cents each; $2 to $4 per dozen, according to size. These are *not seedlings*, but propagated from the true varieties.

Mitchell's Early,	Myatt's Linnæus,	Myatt's Victoria,
Prince Albert,	Royal Leamington,	Magnum Bonum.

To grow the stalks to perfection, the ground must be dug and heavily manured, at least two feet deep. Set out the roots four feet apart each way; if planted in the autumn, they will produce a crop the first season.

GOLDEN DWARF PEACH.

We offer to the lovers of the beautiful and the luscious, a few hundred well grown trees of Van Buren's Golden Dwarf Peach. As an ornamental tree there is nothing of its size more beautiful. It is prodigiously prolific, and in quality of fruit it has few if any superiors. The fruit is very ornamental being above medium size, of a golden yellow color, with a rich mottled carmine cheek. The leaves add much to its beauty, being very large, closely set of a deep green color, and hang on much longer than other Peach leaves. The tree is not subject to the diseases that other Peach trees are. It seldom attains a growth of more than three feet in height, the original being but 28 inches in height when four years old. The buds are so close together that one of those little trees loaded with fruit would almost remind the beholder of an immense bunch of very large grapes.

This is the only Peach tree that will remain a dwarf when planted where the roots have a chance to spread. Price, $1.00 each.

SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS

FOR PLANTING IN THE SPRING.

BULBS READY FOR DELIVERY IN OCTOBER.

THE MOST PROMINENT IN THIS SECTION ARE THE RARE AND BEAUTIFUL

FRENCH HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

They are the most stately and effective of the whole genus; being of a robust erect growth, with green sword-shaped leaves and magnificent flower scapes rising from three to five feet in height. The colors comprise the most brilliant of orange, scarlet and vermillion tints upon yellow and orange grounds, including a graduated scale of intermediate shades, from white with rosy blush and salmon rose tints, to a salmon-red and nankeen; from blush-white with purple crimson throat, and marginal streaks of pink, to light rosy salmon grounds, with flakes of deep carmine. A succession of bloom may be had from July to September, by planting at intervals from April to June, reserving the strongest bulbs for the latest planting. Their culture is very simple: they will grow in any ordinary garden-mould, but succeed best in good earth, manured with well-rotted horse-dung. The bulbs are taken up in the fall and placed in a dry cellar, protected from frost.

	EACH.
Adonis, light rosy salmon, carmine margin	25
Aglæ, bright shaded salmon, large	25
Amabilis, vermillion, scarlet	25
Anatole Levanneur, rosy violet, spotted with carmine	60
Aristote, light rose, purplish crimson stripes	20
Archimede, large rich flamed salmon red	20
Bertha Rabourdin, pure white, carmine stain	1.00
Brenchiliensis, very fine rich scarlet	20
Berenice, pink, flaked with cherry, maroon stripes	30
Calendulaceus, bright nankeen yellow	50
Ceres, pure white, stained with purplish rose, large	80
Calypso, rose striped and blotched with carmine	50
Canary, clear yellow, shaded with rose	50
Clemence, white ground, with rose and crimson flakes	50
Couranti Fulgens, very rich dark crimson	20
Comte. de Morny, dark cherry, with white blotches	1.00
Daphne, light cherry, with dark stripes	35
Diana, white, flaked with dark red, very fine	60
Don Juan, orange and fire red	20
Duc De Malakoff, orange red, blazed with lighter stripes, white ground	1.00
Danae, white, shaded with violet	50
Doctor Andry, rich salmon scarlet; marked with dark red	30
Eugene Verdier, dark carmine, purple shade, dwarf	40
Edith, rose carnation, dark stripes, large	30
Emma, light carmine spotted, dwarf	20

	EACH.
Egerie, light orange colored rose	25
Ernst Duval, dark red, violet shade	80
El Dorado, pure yellow, the inferior divisions striped with red, fine	1.00
Erato, pale rose, carmine stains	75
Eugene Domage, very early ruby scarlet, the darkest of all	1.25
Fanny Rouget, flesh-colored rose	20
Galathe, nearly white, with carmine stains	30
Goliath, large, light red, carmine stains	25
Hector, deep pink, flaked with cherry scarlet, good form	25
Helene, lilac tinged white, purple stripes	40
Hebe, salmon tinted white, flaked with rose	40
Imperatrice, blush white, striped with purple	20
Jenne D'Arc, white, tinged with rose.	40
Lelia, peach blossoms, stained with lilac, fine	40
Louis Van Houtte, velvety carmine, with purple	30
Lord Raglan, rosy salmon, vermillion spots	60
Le Poussin, light red, white ground, and very large white stains on the inferior divisions, extra	1.25
Le Bariole, flesh, striped with carmine and violet, dwarf	30
Lord Granville, pale yellow, striped with rose	50
Madam Henrique, creamy white flaked with purple	25
Madam Rabourdin, rose, flaked with carmine, and slightly lined with white in the centre of the petals.	2.00
Madame Paillet, carmine and violet..	60
Madam Duval, flesh color and violet purplish carmine stains, dwarf	1.00

SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS, &c.

	EACH.
Madame Binder, white carmine stripe dwarf	75
Madame Eugene Verdier, deep cherry, bright purple stains	1.00
Madam Pele, delicate pink, flaked with cherry	50
Madam Hacquin, blush, heavily flaked with lilac purple	60
Madam Leseble, pure white, violet carmine stain; extra	1.00
Marie, white, stained with deep carmine, beautiful	1.00
Mathilde de Landvoisin, white, carnation-tinted	75
Mazeppa, orange rose, yellow stains, striped with rose	50
Moliere, dark red, with violet carmine; fine	1.00
Mons. Blouet, rose, shaded carmine	20
Neptune, rosy carmine, violet centre.	20
Napoleon III, very bright, scarlet, white streak	60
Ninon De L'Enclos, blush, mottled and striped with crimson	50
Oracle, cherry rose, brilliant and fine	40
Osiris, dwarf, purple stained with white	40
Ophir, dark yellow, purple stain	1.00
Othello, light orange red, dwarf	25
Premices De Montrouge, brilliant red, dwarf	30
Pellonia, variegated rose, tinted with carmine	25
Penelope, large flower, white and carnation	50
Pegasse, pink, flaked with salmon rose, very large	25
Prince Imperial, white, with carmine, fine and large	60
Rebecca, white, striped with lilac	60
Reine Victoria, pure white, violet carmine stain, large and fine	2.00
Raphael, deep vermillion centre, lighted with white	60
Rembrandt, very bright deep scarlet.	50
Robert Blum, pale red, flaked with deep scarlet	20
Salfatere, deep sulphur yellow	1.00
Sulfureus, sulphur yellow, fine	50
Triomphe De Enghien, rich crimson, dwarf	20
Theresa, rose, shaded with salmon, carmine stain	60
Vesta, pure white, spotted with purplish carmine	60
Vulcain, brilliant dark velvety crimson, purple shade	80
Victor Verdier, brilliant dark scarlet, crimson shade	80

TIGRIDIA.

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	Per doz.
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Conchiflora, yellow shell flowered	75

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